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Demilitarization of Protective Masks

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SUBJECT: DEMILITARIZATION PROGRAM BULLETIN NO. 95-004,
DEMILITARIZATION OF PROTECTIVE MASKS

A. DRMS LETTER NO. 91-7, REVISION TO DOD 4160.21-M, CHAPTER
VIII, PARA B46, GAS MASKS AND CANISTERS

1. CURRENTLY, PROTECTIVE MASKS ARE DEMILITARIZATION CODE "F" ITEMS, WITH DEMILITARIZATION PERFORMANCE ACCOMPLISHED BY THE GENERATING ACTIVITY IAW REFERENCE. THE FOLLOWING ARE THE NEW DEMILITARIZATION PROCEDURES FOR CHEMICAL, BIOLOGICAL AND RADIOLOGICAL PROTECTIVE MASKS. THESE PROCEDURES ARE EFFECTIVE IMMEDIATELY AND OWNING SERVICE INVENTORY CONTROL POINTS SHOULD MODIFY WRITTEN DEMILITARIZATION INSTRUCTIONS ACCORDINGLY. NO CHANGE OF DEMILITARIZATION CODE IS NECESSARY.

2. SUPPLY CONDITION CODE A OR B PROPERTY.

A) ACCOUNTABILITY WILL BE TRANSFERRED TO THE DRMO, GENERATING ACTIVITY WILL RETAIN CUSTODY. PROPERTY WILL BE OFFERED FOR NORMAL R/T/D SCREENING, TO INCLUDE RLSOS FOR ISSUE TO LOCAL LAW ENFORCEMENT UNDER EXISTING REGULATORY GUIDANCE. SALE TO LLE AND FIREFIGHTING ACTIVITIES UNDER PUBLIC LAW 90-500, AND FOR FOREIGN MILITARY SALES IS ALSO AUTHORIZED. NO CANISTERS/FILTERS WILL BE REMOVED UNTIL IT IS DETERMINED THAT NO REQUIREMENTS EXISTS.

B) IF PROPERTY IS NOT ISSUED/SOLD AS INDICATED ABOVE, THE GENERATOR WILL REMOVE AND PROPERLY PACKAGE THOSE FILTERS HAVING HAZARDOUS PROPERTIES (E.G. CHROMIUM 6) AS HAZARDOUS WASTE (HAZARDOUS WASTE CODE D007 CHROMIUM). A SEPARATE DD 1348-1 WILL BE PREPARED AND FUND CITE FOR HAZARDOUS WASTE DISPOSAL WILL BE PROVIDED TP DRMO. DRMO WILL ENSURE DISPOSAL OF THE FILTERS TO AN APPROPRIATE HAZARDOUS WASTE FACILITY. DEMILITARIZATION CERTIFICATION FOR THE FILTERS WILL BE ACCOMPLISHED ON OR ATTACHED TO THE HAZARDOUS WASTE MANIFEST BY THE COR. CUSTODY OF THE MASKS WILL BE TRANSFERRED TO THE DRMO AND DRMO WILL ENSURE DEMILITARIZATION PERFORMANCE OF THE MASK BY SLASHING THE FACEPIECE WITH A CUT OF NO LESS THAN FOUR INCHES, DIRECTLY BELOW THE EYEPieces, CERTIFICATION WILL BE ACCOMPLISHED IN THE USUAL MANNER.

3. PROPERTY IN ALL OTHER SUPPLY CONDITION CODES: THE GENERATING ACTIVITY WILL REMOVE AND PROPERLY PACKAGE THOSE FILTERS HAVING HAZARDOUS PROPERTIES (E.G. CHROMIUM 6) AS HAZARDOUS WASTE. A SEPARATE DD 1348-1 WILL BE PREPARED AND FUND CITE FOR HAZARDOUS WASTE DISPOSAL WILL BE PROVIDED TO DRMO. DRMO WILL ENSURE DISPOSAL OF THE FILTERS TO AN APPROPRIATE HAZARDOUS WASTE FACILITY. DEMILITARIZATION CERTIFICATION FOR THE FILTERS WILL BE ACCOMPLISHED ON OR ATTACHED TO THE HAZARDOUS WASTE MANIFEST BY THE COR. REMAINING MASKS WILL BE TURNED INTO DRMO AND DRMO WILL ENSURE DEMILITARIZATION PERFORMANCE OF THE MASK BY SLASHING THE FACEPIECE WITH A CUT OF NO LESS THAN FOUR INCHES, DIRECTLY BELOW THE EYEPieces.

4. THIS MSG HAS BEEN COORDINATED WITH AND CONCURRED IN BY HQ DADCSLOG, DALO-SMR AND HQ ACALA, AMSTA-AC-MMNC, POC IS MR. JACK BLACKWAY, DOD DEMIL PM, MMSC, DN 284-6763/6368.

NOTE: HQ DLA moved to Ft Belvoir, VA from Cameron Station, VA. New phone numbers for Jack Blackway are DSN 427-1539/1543, and DATAFAX DSN 427-1531.

Item Manager Disposal Instructions for Protective Masks - UPDATE

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A. REFERENCE DLA MSG R29120ZZ JUN 95 SAB NOTAL

1. REFERENCED MESSAGE PROVIDES DEMIL/DISPOSAL INSTRUCTIONS FOR PROTECTIVE MASKS AND FILTER ELEMENTS/CANISTERS.
2. TO PREVENT A POSSIBLE MISUNDERSTANDING, THE MESSAGE IS CORRECT FOR THE DEMIL/DISPOSAL OF FILTER ELEMENTS FOR ALL MASKS, HOWEVER, FOR PROTECTIVE MASKS IT ONLY APPLIES TO THE OLDER MODELS (M17, M24, M25 AND M9 SERIES). THE NEW M40, M42 AND M43 SERIES MASKS ARE TO BE DISPOSED OF AT DEPOT LEVEL ONLY.
3. EXCESS (M40/M42 SERIES) MASKS IN ANY CONDITION ARE TO BE REPORTED TO THE NICP FOR DISPOSITION INSTRUCTIONS. ANY UNSERVICEABLE, NOT REPAIRABLE AT UNIT LEVEL, ARE TO BE REPORTED, TURNED IN AND SHIPPED TO THE NICP DESIGNATED DEPOT IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE TM (TM3-4240-300-20&P SEC IX PAR 2-30D).
